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By

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

Nielsen, A.

Docket No.:

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Application No.:

09/839,986

Group Art Unit:

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Filing Date:

April 20, 2001

Examiner:

Anderson, G.

TITLE:

MODULAR FURNITURE FOR COMPUTER ASSISTED EXERCISE

TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Herewith is a response in the above-identified application to the Office Action mailed on March 31, 2003. Applicant hereby petitions, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, that the shortened statutory response period be extended for three months until September 30, 2003. The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is enclosed.

- [X] Applicant asserts Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra				Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims		minus	20	=	0	х	\$ 18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims		minus	3	=	0	х	\$ 84.00		\$0.00
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Fee Calculation: Request for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R.§1.136(a) Response filed within first month after due date – add \$ 110.00 Response filed within second month after due date – add \$ 410.00 [x]Response filed within third month after due date – add \$ 930.00 Response filed within fourth month after due date - add \$1450.00 Response filed within fifth month after due date - add \$1970.00 Subtotal: \$ 930.00 If one of the "small entity" boxes above is checked, enter half (1/2) of the second subtotal and subtract. \$ 465.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE ENCLOSED: \$ 465.00 Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3878 in the amount of \$ 465.00. [x]A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

This statement does NOT authorize charge of the issue fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under 37 C.F.R.§§1.16-1.18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this Application and the resulting Official document under 37 C.F.R. §1.20. or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3878 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

A Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. check in the amount of \$\\$ is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Stuart A. Whittington

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